

# OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE FIELD



NEW JERSEY STATE COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

April 2, 2015

We compile opportunities for artists and arts organizations that are either happening in New Jersey or benefit those working in the arts in New Jersey. You'll find professional development workshops and seminars, grant announcements, calls for artists and more. Sign up to receive [Opportunities](#) via email, read the [Submission Guidelines](#) or [submit an opportunity](#) for consideration.

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## OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARTISTS

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**Atlantic Highlands Arts Council**

**FilmOneFest**

**Call for Filmmakers**

**Deadline: April 3; Late, May 31, 2015**

**Film Festival: July 18, 2015**

The seventh annual FilmOneFest, which showcases short films (all under two minutes), is seeking entries for its 2015 festival. The committee is seeking both live action and animation formats in either experimental or traditional narrative forms.

**Learn more:** [FilmOneFest](#) or [info@filmonefest.org](mailto:info@filmonefest.org)

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**Metuchen Area Chamber of Commerce**

**Metuchen Junebug ArtFest**

**Call for Artists**

**Registration Deadline: April 3, 2015**

The 8th Annual Metuchen Junebug ArtFest Seeks participants. Visual and performing artists working in all media are invited to take part in the festival, which will be held from 6:00-10:00pm every Friday evening in June throughout the streets of downtown Metuchen.

**Learn more:** [Junebug ArtFest](#), email [metuchenchamber@optimum.net](mailto:metuchenchamber@optimum.net) or call 732-548-2964

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**10 Hairy Legs**  
**\$5.00 Technique Class**  
**Female and Male dancers**  
**PMT Dance Studio, NY, NY**  
**Dates: through June 4, 2015, 10:00 - 11:30AM**

10 Hairy Legs invites advanced dancers both male and female for Technique Class with Artistic Director Randy James and Guest Faculty. Classes are drop-in and take place every Tuesday and Thursday. Doors open at 9:30AM.



**Learn more:** [10HL](#)

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**New Jersey Youth Theatre (NJYT)**  
**Summer Production of 'Cabaret'**  
**Open Singing, Dance & Orchestra Auditions**  
**Locations: Manasquan & Roselle Park**  
**Dates: April 4 & 11, 2015**

The New Jersey Youth Theatre is holding open auditions for Cabaret. NJYT is seeking a diverse cast and orchestra, young performers ages fifteen to twenty-five+ with classical and nonclassical vocal, dance and instrumental training are encouraged to audition. For further information regarding auditions including cast breakdown, technical apprenticeships, or general NJYT information, go to [www.njyouththeatre.org](http://www.njyouththeatre.org)

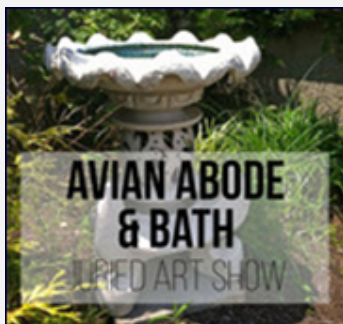
**Learn more:** [Cabaret Auditions](#) or call 908-233-3200.

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**SIPMAContemporary**  
**I Live Here Now**  
**Open Call for Contemporary Artists**  
**GoggleWorks Center for the Arts, Reading, PA**  
**Deadline: April 4, 2015**  
**Show dates: May 8 - June 14, 2015**

"I Live Here Now" is a show about modern consumerism. The possibilities of the project can be in line of defining the new normal or projecting the future of communitarianism. It is an all media show and the space allows for large installations.

**Learn more:** [SipmaContemporary](#) or email [info.SipmaContemporary@gmail.com](mailto:info.SipmaContemporary@gmail.com)



**m.t.burton gallery**  
**Avian Abode & Bath: Juried Art Show**  
**Call for Artists**  
**Deadline: April 5, 2015**  
**Exhibition Opens: June 6, 2015**

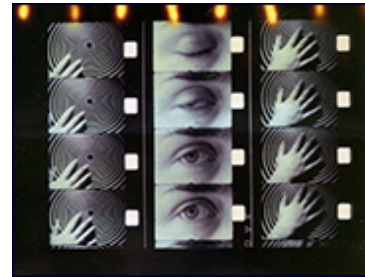
The Avian Abode and Bath Juried Art is an opportunity for artists to exhibit and sell their art which specifically functions as either a bird house, a bird bath or a bird feeder. Juror will select work based on craftsmanship, function and aesthetic. Open to any medium. \$20 entry fee.

**Learn more:** [Avian Abode & Bath](#)

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**Rutgers Film Co-op/New Jersey Media Arts Center**  
**New Jersey International Festival**  
**Call for Entries**  
**Deadline: April 5, 2015**  
**Festival: May 29 - June 14, 2015**

The Rutgers Film Co-op/New Jersey Media Arts Center announces the 20th Annual 2015 New Jersey International Film Festival. The 2015 festival will showcase the best in independent film by featuring premiere screenings, filmmaking workshops, and special guest appearances by film directors, screenwriters, cast and crew.



**Learn more:** [NJ Film Festival](#), 848-932-8482 or e-mail [NJMAC@aol.com](mailto:NJMAC@aol.com) or [njmac12@gmail.com](mailto:njmac12@gmail.com)



Semyon Faibisovich, Suburbs (1984)

**Zimmerli Art Museum at Rutgers  
Panel Discussion and Reception  
New Brunswick, NJ  
Date: April 9, 2015**

The Zimmerli invites the public to a special program in conjunction with the new exhibition Through the Looking Glass: Hyperrealism in the Soviet Union. The first thematic exhibition from the Dodge Collection of Nonconformist Art from the Soviet Union to chart the development of this movement during the late 1970s and 1980s spotlights artists who challenged the hegemonic perception of reality, the heroic and idealized subjects that characterized Socialist Realism. A 2:30pm tour will be followed by a panel discussion from 3:30 to 5pm. The event is free.

**Learn more:** [Zimmerli](#)

**Jersey City Artist Initiative  
Artist CoffeeHouse  
Call for Artists  
Location: Lincoln Inn, Jersey City, NJ  
Deadline: April 9, 2015  
Event: April 10, 2015, 7:00 - 11:00PM**

The JCAI: Artist CoffeeHouse is a night of poetry, performance art, and features fine art by members of JCAI. There will be a performance by the [Speranza Theatre Company](#). Artists, poets and performance artists should pre-register and submit a sample of their work. There are no registration fees. Admission to the event is free.



**Learn more:** [Michael-Hanna.org/JCAI](http://Michael-Hanna.org/JCAI) or to register email [JCAI@gmx.com](mailto:JCAI@gmx.com)

**The Kennedy Dancers  
Bare Soles Goddess Night  
Jersey City, NJ  
Deadline: First-come/ First-served  
Event: April 25, 2015, 7:00PM**

The Kennedy Dancers, Inc. will continue to host their monthly showcase called Bare Soles. On April 25th they will celebrate with a theme: Goddess Night. The event will be a place to showcase dance, music, spoken word and visual arts and will also be a place to cultivate communications between artists in the Jersey City area.

**Learn more:** email [kennedydancers@aol.com](mailto:kennedydancers@aol.com) with Subject: Bare Soles/April25 or call 201-659-2190

**Arts Council of Southeast Missouri Wild Things - A National Juried Exhibition Call For Entries**  
**Cape Girardeau, MO**  
**Deadline for Entries: April 7, 2015**  
**Exhibition Dates: June 5 - 27, 2015**



The Arts Council of Southeast Missouri invites artists across the United States to submit their works depicting the world's Wild Things. From household pets to rainforest creatures to ocean dwellers, artwork must depict a member, real or imagined, of the animal kingdom.

**Learn more:** [Wild Things - Juried Exhibit](#)



**New Jersey State Council on the Arts**  
**Grants for Traditional Folk Artists, Fiscal Year 2016**  
**Application Deadline: April 8, 2015**

Guidelines and application information for Folk Arts Apprenticeship grants from the NJ State Council on the Arts are now available. The grants encourage cultural communities to continue passing on their valued art forms in traditional settings by providing stipends to master folk artists and crafts-persons that can help apprentices develop greater skills.

**Learn more:** [Application Details](#), [Apply](#), or call 609-292-4495

**The Poetry Center at Passaic County Community College**  
**Workshops for Mature Adults**  
**Registration Open**  
**Location: Wanaque, NJ**  
**Date: April 9, 2015**

The Poetry Center at Passaic County Community College will be presenting poetry workshops for mature adults, 50 and over. Laura Boss & Maria Mazziotti Gillian are the workshop leaders. The cost is \$60 for each session and there are four classes per session.

**Learn more:** [Poetry Workshops](#) or [PCCC](#)

**Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation**  
**On Screen/In Person**  
**Call for Filmmakers - Free Submission**  
**Deadline for submission: April 10, 2015**

Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation is seeking the best in new independent American film to tour through its On Screen/In Person program. Selected films will be screened in communities across the mid-Atlantic region accompanied by their respective filmmakers. Filmmakers from across the United States are eligible to submit films for consideration. Film submissions may include animation, documentaries, experimental and narrative work.



**Learn more:** [On Screen/In Person](#) or email [Kimberly Steinle-Super](#)

**Passaic County Community College**  
**The Distinguished Poets Series**  
**Poetry Writing Workshop**  
**Date: April 11, 2015**

The Distinguished Poets Series of the Poetry Center at Passaic County Community College is

holding a Poetry writing workshop at Hamilton Club Building, 32 Church St. (corner of Ellison St.) Paterson. Workshops are held at 10AM and 1PM. Registration is required.

**Learn more:** [PCCC workshop](#) or call Maria Mazziotti Gillan at 973-684-6555



**New Jersey State Council on the Arts  
CaFE (Call For Entry)  
Registration Ongoing**

CaFE (Call For Entry) is the free service that the State Arts Council is now using to inform visual artists of opportunities to apply for State Arts Inclusion commissions and more. Free registration in CaFE means monthly listings of public art projects, fellowships, juried competitions and other opportunities for artists

not only in New Jersey but in other states as well. Artists manage their own profiles including 100 images of work, resume, bio and professional skills which can be used when applying for opportunities announced through CaFE. This transparent process allows artists to find, select and apply for commissions and opportunities, all within one system!

**Learn more:** [CaFE](#) or email [Don Ehman](#), Director of Artists' Services, NJ State Council on the Arts

**Atlantic City Ballet  
2015/2016 Season & International Trainee/Apprentice Program  
Auditions  
Location: School of American Ballet NY, NY  
Date: April 12, 2015**

Atlantic City Ballet announces auditions for the 2015 - 2016 Season & International Trainee/Apprentice Program. Auditions will be conducted in the form of a class. No advance preparation is required. Please be prepared to go en pointe. Scholarships and visas are available for qualified dancers.

**Learn more:** [Atlantic City Ballet](#), 609-348-7201/7202 or email [apieroni@acballet.org](mailto:apieroni@acballet.org)

**Monmouth Museum  
NJ Emerging Artists Series 2015 - 2016  
Call for Entries  
Deadline: April 13, 2015**



The Monmouth Museum is committed to present the work of NJ emerging artists through its popular series, The New Jersey Emerging Artists Series, now entering its eighth year. The series consists of six annual monthly solo exhibitions to showcase the new work of NJ artists who have not previously held one-person exhibitions in our State. Selected artists are guided through the exhibition process, provided promotional materials and are required to give an artist talk during their exhibition to further increase their visibility. Artwork will be considered in all media, but must be wall-mountable.

**Learn more:** [NJ Emerging Artists](#)



**Newark Office of Arts, Cultural Development and Tourism  
Call to Newark Arts Community  
Ongoing**

Newark Mayor Ras Baraka is reaching out to the arts community to help through a program with the city's Office of Arts, Cultural Development and Tourism. The idea is to identify properties in neighborhoods that could be used for art and cultural programs.

Some of the spaces also include converting city owned abandoned property in the South and West wards. In conjunction with the Newark Arts Council, Baraka said the city is developing guidelines for artist to participate. There is an artist registry for artists to indicate their interest.

**Learn more:** [Newark Artist Registry](#), email [Moten](#) or call 973-733-3599

**Zufall Health  
Childhood Memories  
Call for Entry**

**Artist Submission Deadline: April 17, 2015  
Exhibit Dates: May 16, 2015 - August 16, 2015**

In this exhibit, we invite artists to explore the concept of childhood as a source of creative inspiration through representative, abstract, and conceptual works of art ranging from drawing, paintings, collage and photographic art.

**Learn more:** email Nicole Okumu [nicole@therarebird.net](mailto:nicole@therarebird.net)

**Maxwell's  
Group Show "My View"  
Open Call  
Deadline: April 17, 2015**

Maxwell's, in Hoboken, is accepting submissions for its next group show "My View". Work selected will be diverse and artists chosen to participate will be based on a strong personal approach and continuity across works they submit. Show runs from early May till late June, 2015.

**Learn more:** [Maxwell's Open Call](#) or email [art@maxwellsnj.com](mailto:art@maxwellsnj.com)

**The New Jersey State Council & Morris Arts  
SAS (Steps for Artist Survival)  
Workshop  
Location: Morris Museum, Morristown  
Date: April 18, 2015, 8:30AM - 12:00PM**

SAS (Steps for Artist Survival) is a workshop for artists of all disciplines featuring a panel of those currently working in theatre, poetry, visual arts, music and dance. There will be opportunities to hear the unique stories of artists who make their living doing something they love. Tickets are \$15 if you register online prior the event and \$20 on the day of the event. Students with ID free of charge.

**Learn more:** [SAS](#)



**Murphy Writing of Stockton University  
Writing in the Pines  
A One Day Writing Getaway  
Stockton University, Galloway, NJ  
Date: April 18, 2015**

Join the Murphy Writing center for a nature inspired poetry getaway. Using this natural setting, Peter Murphy will lead a craft discussion that will examine and question what it means to write a nature poem in the 21st century. He will then give you several of his challenging, imaginative prompts and send you off to write. You'll be free to walk around the lake, exploring the 1,600 acre campus and its unique ecology. Spend the day immersed in the literary life, writing and sharing some of your new drafts. Space is limited.

**Learn more:** [Writing in the Pines](#)

**Hunterdon Art Museum and the Red Mill Museum Village  
Two Mills Plein Air Festival  
Call for Artists  
Event: April 19, 2015, 10:00AM**

The Hunterdon Art Museum and the Red Mill Museum Village present the Two Mills Plein Air Festival. Artists of all skill levels are invited to create art along the south banks of the Raritan River. Artists are welcome to work with watercolors, pastels, charcoal or any other media. The daylong event concludes with a reception and juried show on Hunterdon Art Museum's outdoor terrace. Rain date is April 26th.

**Learn more:** [Two Mills Plein Air Festival](#)

**Rowan University  
Public Art for University Engineering Building  
Call for Artists  
Glassboro, NJ  
Deadline: April 23, 2015**

Rowan University invites artists to submit work samples for consideration in selection of finalists to compete for a public art project for an interior floor design and for an exterior sculpture for the new addition to the School of Engineering at the Glassboro New Jersey campus.



**Learn more:** [Interior Design](#) or [Exterior Sculpture](#)

**70 South Gallery  
"Photographing America's History" Exhibition  
Call To Photographers  
Application Deadline: April 24, 2015  
Exhibition: June 27, 2015 - August 8, 2015**

Morristown's 70 South Gallery announces a call to artists in anticipation of its "Photographing America's History" Exhibition which will coincide with the 4th of July. This exhibition will feature work that showcases America's history in pictures. Photographers are encouraged to submit via email up to ten (10) images that fit any of these themes: historical moments or time periods, Americana throughout the last century, progress of America, or a time gone by. Any NJ Resident is eligible.

**Learn more:** [Photographing America](#) or contact [Ira L. Black](#)



**International Sculpture Center  
IS Day TASK Party  
Community Sculpture Making  
Grounds for Sculpture  
Event: April 24, 2015, 6:00 - 10:00PM**

The International Sculpture Center is holding a free improv art party during the IS Day TASK Party. Artist Oliver Herring will be in attendance during the community sculpture making event. All ages are welcome.

**Learn more:** [IS Day TASK Party](#)

**Munich Re America / Artworks Trenton  
INNOVATION, Juried Art Exhibition  
Call to Artists  
Princeton, NJ  
Deadline: April 24, 2015**



Munich Re America and Artworks Trenton, are partnering for a juried art exhibition at the Munich Re America campus. The theme of the exhibition is innovation, either through media or content. This Call To Artists is for all artists 18 and over, and all mediums.

**Learn more:** [Artworks Show](#)

**County of Cumberland Cultural & Heritage Commission & NJ State Council on the Arts  
Saturday Artists Talk Forum  
Living and Sustaining a Creative Life  
Location: Luciano Conference Center Cumberland County College,  
Vineland, NJ  
Date: April 25, 2015**

Learn from the artist panel and fellow regional audience members on methods to sustain your creative life while juggling the responsibilities of everyday existence. Refreshments will be served through- out the panel discussion, culminating in a book signing and reception with heavy hors d'oeuvres and local wine and beer. All attendees to the S.A.T. Forum will receive a copy of Sharon Loudon's book, "Living and Sustaining a Creative Life". Registrants must attend the forum on April 25th to claim their book. Artists of any media welcome. \$10 registration fee.

**Learn more:** [Artists Talk Forum](#), RSVP to [mattpi@co.cumberland.nj.us](mailto:mattpi@co.cumberland.nj.us)

**New Jersey Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts  
Copyright Law Workshop - Free to attend  
Location: George Street Playhouse, New Brunswick  
Event: April 28, 2015, 7:00PM**

NJVLA is presenting a workshop on copyright law. This free workshop will help you understand the fundamentals of basic copyright protection, including copyrightability of works and registration. We'll also cover what happens if someone else attempts to use your copyrighted work and possible remedies. Finally, we'll discuss how "fair use" may allow you to use the copyrighted works of others in your own creations. Panelists: Gary Laurie, Esq. & Peter L. Skolnik, Esq.

**Learn more:** [NJVLA copyright workshop](#) or [Register](#)



**Nassau Film Festival/ Libelula Productions  
Call to Filmmakers  
Submission Deadline: April 30, 2015  
Festival: May 17, 2015**

Nassau Film Festival (NFF) is now accepting submissions for Short Films. This film festival gives an opportunity for new and current filmmakers to have their short films screened. Films are to be from: 30 seconds to 20 minutes in length. All genres and styles of films will be considered. A Best of Festival Award will be given in the student and non-student categories.

**Learn more:** [Nassau Film Festival](#)

**CavanKerry Press**  
**Call for Submissions**  
**Deadline: April 30, 2015**

CavanKerry Press is accepting submissions for the following imprints: Emerging Voices (poetry collections by previously unpublished, early, and mid-career poets); Notable Voices (poetry collections by previously published writers of distinction who have attained a respected reputation in the United States); Memoir (prose manuscripts by previously unpublished, early, mid-career, or notable writers of distinction). Submissions for LaurelBooks (poetry or prose that explore in depth poignant and critical issues associated with confronting serious and life-threatening physical &/or psychological illness) are accepted year-round.

**Learn more:** [CavanKerry Submissions](#)

**Speakeasy Art Gallery**  
**The Art of the Mix Tape**  
**Call to Artists**  
**Deadline: April 30, 2015**



Speakeasy Art Gallery is currently seeking submissions from established and emerging artists for their summer group exhibit, The Art of the Mix Tape. They are asking artists to create one or more pieces of art on or from a cassette tape. Any medium will be considered; the finished piece must be named after a song title by a specific artist. The concept being, that all of the pieces exhibited together will become one big mix tape.

**Learn more:** [The Art of the Mix Tape](#) or [submissions@speakeasyart.com](mailto:submissions@speakeasyart.com)



Mike Welch, 2014

**Alborada Spanish Dance Theatre**  
**"Feria de Sevilla" Spanish cultural arts festival**  
**Call for Artists**  
**Woodbridge, NJ 07095**  
**Pre-registration Deadline: May 3, 2015**  
**Festival: May 3, 2015, 2:00 to 5:00 PM (rain date May 9)**

The Spanish Dance Theatre's "Feria de Sevilla" is an outdoor cultural arts festival. The festival will include Flamenco dancing performed by Alborada's professional company, educational workshops (dance, castanets, cajon), children's arts & crafts, Spanish foods & drinks and more in Woodbridge's Parker Press Park. Artists (18 and above) of all media and styles are invited to bring their supplies to the Feria and create original art. Admission to the festival and artist participation is free to the public.

**Learn more:** [Feria](#), email [alboradadance@optonline.net](mailto:alboradadance@optonline.net), or call 732-598-3079

**Long Branch Arts Council and Long Branch Historical Association**  
**Art in the Park**  
**Artists Wanted**  
**Event: May 24, 2015, 10:00AM - 5:30PM (load-in time 7:00 - 9:45AM)**

Artists are wanted, for 17th Annual Art in the Park Event. The organizers are seeking submissions in the categories of Works on Paper, Works on Canvas, Sculpture, Mixed Media, Photography, Ceramics, and Special Materials (including wood, glass or plastic). Sponsored by the Long Branch Arts Council and Long Branch Historical Association, with support from the City of Long Branch, Art in the Park takes place just one block from the beach - and within strolling distance of restaurants, taverns and eateries.

**Learn more:** email event coordinator [Mare Akana](#)

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## *OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARTS ORGANIZATIONS*

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**Cultural Access Network Project**  
**2015 Access Roundtable Series**  
**Sessions: April 16 & May 14, 2015,**  
**10:30AM - 12:30PM**

**Deadline: RSVP one-week prior to the workshop**



The Access Roundtable Series presented by the Cultural Access Network Project a co-sponsored project of the New Jersey Theatre Alliance and the New Jersey State Council on the Arts, offer colleagues an opportunity to network and brainstorm on a wide range of topics regarding program and facility access. Each workshop will include a Sensitivity/Patron Services component. Sessions include: Marketing/Fundraising (2/19) at Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton; Facilities (3/ 27) at Mills + Schnoering Architects, LLC, Princeton; Hearing Loss (4/16) Location TBA; Vision Loss (5/14) at McCarter Theatre Center, Princeton. All of the locations above are fully accessible to people with disabilities.

**Learn more:** [RSVP](#)

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### **New Jersey Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired Registry to Receive CBVI-circulated Public Information or Announcements Ongoing**

The CBVI is a member of the Arts Council's Accessibility Advisory Committee (CAN). Please register to receive official information, postings, and other announcements from the New Jersey Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired (NJCBVI or Commission).

**Learn more:** [CBVI](#) or [Register](#)

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**National Endowment for the Arts**  
**2015 Grants for Organizations**  
**Guidelines Posted for Arts Works and Challenge America**  
**Challenge America Deadline: April 16, 2015**  
**Art Works Deadline: July 23, 2015**

Guidelines and application materials for two National Endowment for the Arts funding categories have been posted on the NEA's website. The 2015 Art Works and Challenge America programs support projects anticipated to take place beginning in 2016. Any non-profit 501(c)3 organization, unit of state or local government, or federally recognized tribal community with at least a three year programming history is eligible to apply for project-based support through these two programs. Together, Art Works and Challenge America constitute approximately 75 percent of the NEA's annual direct grantmaking (exclusive of state and regional partnership agreements). The NEA has scheduled webinars covering the basics of the Art Works and Challenge America funding categories, including how to apply to the NEA, how to select work samples, and how to prepare a strong application. To sign up for either or both webinars, [go to the webinar section of the NEA website](#).

**Learn more:** [NEA's 2015 Grants for Organizations](#)

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**Discover Jersey Arts  
Cooperative Advertising  
Opportunities Now Open  
First-come/ First-served**

The Discover Jersey Arts program, a cosponsored project of the ArtPride New Jersey Foundation and New Jersey State Council on the Arts, is pleased to announce cooperative advertising opportunities. Space in these co-ops is limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis to organizations registered in good standing with the Jersey Arts Marketers (JAM) network.

**Learn more:** [Cooperative Advertising](#)

**Southern Exposure: Performing Arts of Latin America  
2015-2016 Artist Roster Fee Subsidies Available  
Fee Subsidies Still Available  
Deadline: April 17, 2015**

Southern Exposure: Performing Arts of Latin America is a national initiative that provides support for the presentation of exemplary performing artists (dance, music & theater) from Latin America in communities across the United States. Fee support grants are available to nonprofit presenters located anywhere in the United States and its territories that book artists on the program's 2015-2016 roster for engagements taking place between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016.



**Learn more:** [Artist Roster](#), [Booking Guidelines](#)

**Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation  
USArtists International 2015  
Guidelines and Application Available  
Third Round Deadline: April 17, 2014**

The guidelines and online application are now available for the 2015 USArtists International program. The program provides support for American dance, music, and theater ensembles and solo artists from across the country who have been invited to perform at significant international festivals and, new this year, performing arts markets anywhere in the world outside the US. The application deadline for the final of three grant rounds of the 2015 program is for projects taking place between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016.

**Learn more:** [USArtists International](#) or email [Brigid Zuknick](#)



**Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation and FACE Foundation  
French-American Jazz Exchange Tours  
Now Booking for 2015-2016  
Grants available on a First-come/First-served basis**

The French-American Jazz Exchange fosters the development of American and French jazz artists through the support of jointly conceived projects. Fee support is available to presenters based in the mid-Atlantic region that book any of the following ensembles for

engagements taking place between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016. The roster includes: Cedric Hanriot and trumpeter Jason Palmer (US) will perform new compositions created in homage to the work of science fiction writer Dan Simmons with Michael Janisch (bass), Jeff Miles (guitar) and Jonathan Pinson (drums); Trumpeter Darius Jones (US) and his quartet of Ches Smith (drums), Pascal Niggenkemper (bass), and Aruán Ortiz (piano) will perform new works with vocalist Emilie

Lesbros (France) inspired by the French avant-garde artist Brigitte Fontaine; Drummer John Hollenbeck (US) and saxophonist Alban Darche (France) will perform their new compositions with fellow JASS band members Sébastien Boisseau (bass) and Samuel Blaser (trombone); Pianist Laurent Coq (France) and saxophonist Walter Smith III (US) with Joe Sanders (bass) and Damion Reid (drums) musically celebrate the life of the Marquis de Lafayette.

**Learn more:** [Keith Ghion](#) at Geodesic Management or at 646-415-9234

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